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Public Service Commission of South Carolina Docketing Department 101 Executive Center Drive, Suite 100 Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Re: Docket Number 2007-151-C – Application of Alltel Communications, Inc. for Designation as an Eligible Telecommunications Carrier (ETC)

in the State of South Carolina

Dear Ladies and Gentlemen:

Charleston

Charlotte

Enclosed for filing please find an original and (1) one copy of Alltel Communications, Inc., Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Sean Simpson in connection with the above-referenced matter.

Columbia

Greensboro

By copy of this letter, I am serving all parties of record with a copy of this Motion as indicated on the attached Certificate of Service.

Greenville
Hilton Head

Myrtle Beach

The enclosed document is an exact duplicate of the e-filed copy submitted to the Commission in accordance with its electronic filing instructions.

Very truly yours,

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Burnet R. Maybank, III

Enclosure

cc:

Nanette S. Edwards, Esq. (Letter only Via E-Mail)

All Parties of Record

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BEFORE THE

PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION

OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Docket No. 2007-151-C

In Re:.)	
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Application of Alltel Communications,)	
Incorporated for Designation as an Eligible)	MOTION FOR ADMISSION
Telecommunications Carrier in the State of)	Pro Hac Vice
South Carolina)	

Alltel Communications, Incorporated ("ACI") respectfully moves the Public Service Commission of South Carolina (the "Commission") to permit Sean Simpson to practice *pro hac vice* before the Commission in the above-referenced matter.

Pursuant to Rule 404 of the South Carolina Appellate Court Rules, Mr. Simpson, together with the undersigned counsel of record, have filed an application for admissions *pro hac vice* with the Supreme Court of South Carolina. Exhibit A to this Motion is a file-stamped copy of that application, along with a Certificate of Service indicating that the application and the \$250 filing fee have been filed with the Supreme Court.

Respectfully submitted, this <u>944</u> day of July, 2007.

Respectfully submitted,

July 4, 2007

Burnet R. Maybank, III, Esquire

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STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA)	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
COUNTY OF RICHLAND)	

The undersigned, Shirley J. Neal, hereby certifies that she is employed by the law firm of Nexsen Pruet, LLC and that she had caused ATI's Motion for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* of Sean Simpson in Docket No. 2007-151-C to be served upon the following this July 9, 2007.

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Telecommunications Carrier in the State of)		
South Carolina)		

Comes now Sean Simpson, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

- 1. Applicant is employed as in-house counsel for Alltel Communications, Incorporated ("ACI"), 2000 Technology Drive, Mankato, Minnesota 56001, Telephone Number 507-385-2455, Fax Number 507-385-2200, Email sean.simpson@alltel.com.
- 2. Applicant has been retained personally to provide legal representation in connection with the above case now pending before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.
- 3. Since October 30, 1998, applicant has been, and presently is, a member in good standing of the bar of the State of Minnesota. Attached is a certificate of good standing.
- 4. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the United States District Court of Minnesota since January 14, 2000.
- 5. Applicant presently is not subject to any suspension of disbarment proceedings and has not been formally notified of any complaints pending before a disciplinary agency.

6. Applicant never has had any application for *pro hac vice* in this or any other jurisdiction denied or any *pro hac vice* admission revoked.

7. Applicant never has had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any administrative body suspended or revoked.

8. Local counsel of record associated with applicant in this case is Burnet R. Maybank, III, of Nexsen Pruet, LLC, 1441 Main Street, Suite 1500, Richland County, Columbia, South Carolina 29201, Telephone Number (803) 540-2048.

9. Applicant agrees to comply with the applicable statutes, laws and rules of the State of South Carolina and will familiarize him/herself with, and comply with the South Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct. Applicant consents to the jurisdiction of the South Carolina courts and Commission on Lawyer Conduct.

10. Applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the abovenamed court for this case only.

DATED this 6 day of July, 2007.

Sean Simpson

To:8032538277

STATE OF MINNESOTA VERIFICATION COUNTY OF BLUE EAST

I, Sean Simpson, do hereby swear or affirm under penalty or perjury that I am the applicant in the above styled matter; that I have read the foregoing application and knew the contents thereof; and that the contents are true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters, I believe them to be true.

Substailed and sworn to before me this _____ day of July, 2007.

My commission expires:

LOCAL COUNSEL CONSENT

I hereby consent, as local counsel of record, to the association of applicant in this case pursuant to Rules Governing Admission *Pro Hac Vice* to the South Carolina Bar.

DATED this 9 day of June, 2007.

Burnet R. Maybank, III Local Counsel of Record

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have served a copy of this application upon the South Carolina Supreme Court by **hand delivery** mail addressed to: South Carolina Supreme Court Office of Bar Admissions, P.O. Box 11330, Columbia, SC 29211, accompanied by payment of the \$250 filing fee payable to the South Carolina Supreme Court on this the day of July, 2007.

Shirley J. Neal

STATE OF MINNESOTA IN SUPREME COURT

Certificate of Good Standing

This is to certify that the following lawyer is in good standing.

SEAN RICHARD SIMPSON

was duly admitted to practice as an lawyer and counselor at law in all the courts of this state on

October 30, 1998

Given under my hand and seal of this court on

July 03, 2007

Fredrick K. Grittner

Clerk of Appellate Courts

Frederick K. Grittmer

